ATLANTIC & PACIFIC BULB DISTRIBUTORS

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PERTINENT ADVANCE INFORMATION ABOUT THE A.C. BULLER ORIGINAL HYBRID AMARYLLIS AS A SUPPLEMENT TO ARTICLE APPEARING IN THE 1963 YEARBOOK OF AMERICAN AMARYLLIS SOCIETY

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Upon the death of A.C. Buller in 1959, his daughter, Mrs. de Villiers inherited the residue of his original stock.

In the course of settlement of the estate, the firm of Howie's (Pty. Ltd.,) of Capetown (bulb growers and seedsmen since 1881) acquired this remaining stock after previously in 1955, having purchased a quantity of the Buller bulbs for propagation.

The only source for A.C. Buller original bulbs is now Howie's, who will and can maintain the high standard of vegetatively propagated Buller strain. As their representatives we shall, as closely as possible, adopt the rules and standards set by the American Amaryllis Society, and help improve the American stock of Amaryllis at the same time. Howie's have, since 1959, bloomed the original Buller Amaryllis 3 times (3 years) and have not yet finished the task of deciphering the very complicated system of code numbers used by this eminent hybridizer. For this 1963 season very limited quantities of original bulbs are available.

Howie's recommend at this time blooming size bulbs (not less than 2½") in a selected mixture, which will include the finest varieties.

For Exhibition purposes and propagation: "Mother Bulbs" (sizes up to 3½" or over) "Larve" (sizes up to 3½"). These two grades will be offered in the following classified colors:

SELF OR SOLID COLORS

REDS: Dark, light, scarlet, crimson
ORANGE, Salmon Orange, White
(Cerise and Salmon in limited numbers)

BI-COLORS

Rose, Orange, Crimson (all with white stars)

FLUSHED WHITES

These are white background, heavily flushed and veined with Pink, Rose, Red, Carmine, etc.

** A postcard request will bring you price lists. Orders will be accepted on the basis of reservation and allotment in the order of receipt. Making these bulbs available for the first time in the U.S. from July 1963 on, they can be planted outdoors immediately in the temperate zones or used as permanent potted plants anywhere producing 6" to 8" flowers in 4 to 8 weeks, depending on methods of forcing, providing our cultural and feeding directions (available on request) are followed.

For the 1964 season a certain number of these same varieties offered above will be named and registered with the American Amaryllis Society. Seeds will also be available from February 1964 on.

**As soon as 1963 crop data is available
See article July issue of "Flower & Garden"

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